

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
 WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1996 - 0530 MST
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION:

Moderate fire activity continued across the Southern Area. Resource mobilization through NICC remained minimal.

Southern Area Fire Information:

ADA COMPLEX, Muskogee Area Office, Ada Agency, BIA. A Type I Incident Management Team (O'Bannon) is assigned. Initial attack forces responded to a fire near the community of Tupolo. Structures were threatened with no damage reported. Volunteers responded to 5 other fires. All fires reported yesterday were contained. Decreased acreage is due to better mapping.

BLOCK B, Everglades NP. A 300 acre fire started by a catalytic converter is burning near the visitors center at West Royal Palm. The fire continued to burn actively last night in southern rough fuels.

NORTHEAST OKLAHOMA COMPLEX. A Type II Incident Management Team (Kearney) is assigned. The Incident Command Post is fully functional in Tahlequah. The team is awaiting delegation of authority from the state. A plan will be presented to the state this morning, including estimated costs of staging suppression resources. Plans are to respond to an area of approximately 12 million acres.

TEXAS STATE FIRES. A 1,500 acre fire in Jasper County was contained; crews continue to mop up. A portable retardant base is being set up in Waco. No other information available. No new information was received for the fire on Fort Hood Military Reservation.

INCIDENT NAME	UNIT	ST	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRUC LOST	EST LOSS	EST COST
BLOCK B	EVP	FL	300	0	UNK	15	0	0	1	0	UNK	UNK
ADA COMPLEX	MAA	OK	33,256	UNK	UNK	277	3	21	4	UNK	170K	998K

Due to the number of new fires added to the Ada Complex, the percent contained and containment dates have not been determined.

OUTLOOK: Texas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Arkansas and the Gulf Coast states will be fair except for scattered showers and thundershowers along the coastal areas.

High temperatures will range from the 30's in Oklahoma, north Texas and Missouri to the 70's and 80's in Florida. Winds will be 5-15 MPH, except 15-25 MPH in southern Texas. New Mexico will be partly cloudy with a slight chance of snow showers in the northwest. Highs will range from the 30's and 40's in the mountains to the mid 50's elsewhere. Winds will

range from 5-15 MPH. Moderate fire activity is expected to continue.

FIRES: 2/27

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
EASTERN						1	1
SOUTHERN				1	245	6	252
USA	0	0	0	1	245	7	253

ACRES BURNED: 2/27

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
EASTERN						4	4
SOUTHERN				1	3,311	85	3,397
USA	0	0	0	1	3,311	89	3,401

RESOURCE STATUS: Committed Resources

RESOURCE	CREWS		ENGINES		HELICOPTER		AIRTANKER		OVERHEAD	
	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN	13	*	40	*	13	*	8		231	*
USA	13	*	40	*	13	*	8	0	231	*

FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES

NON = NON FEDERAL RESOURCES

FIRES: Year to date

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							*
NORTHWEST							0
CA-NORTHERN							*
CA-SOUTHERN		1			179	30	210
NORTHERN							*
GB-EASTERN							*
GB-WESTERN							*
SOUTHWEST	16	10		1	27	35	89
ROCKY MTN					27	4	31
EASTERN				7	765	62	834
SOUTHERN	41		25	39	8,129	372	8,606
USA	57	11	25	47	9,127	503	9,770

ACRES BURNED: Year to date

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							*
NORTHWEST							0
CA-NORTHERN							*
CA-SOUTHERN		1			3,876	23	3,900
NORTHERN							*

GB-EASTERN							*
GB-WESTERN							*
SOUTHWEST	4,169	5		2	784	166	5,126
ROCKY MTN					4,500	82	4,582
EASTERN				95	10,818	2,976	13,889
SOUTHERN	33,264		15,755	1,504	122,565	15,849	188,937
USA	37,433	6	15,755	1,601	142,543	19,096	216,434

* = No Report.

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